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Object Oriented Programming Lab

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Source Code:

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#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
class fibonacci{
    private:
        unsigned long int f0, f1, fib;
    public :
        fibonacci(){
            f0 = 0;
            f1 = 1;
            fib = f0 + f1;
        }
        void update(){
            f0 = f1;
            f1 = fib;
            fib = f0 + f1;
        }
        void displayFib(int upto){
            for (int i = 0; i <= upto; i++) {
                cout << fib << " ";
                update();
            }
}; //end of class construction
int main(){
    fibonacci fibObj;
    int upto;
    cout << "Enter the number uptill you want Fibobnacci to be listed: ";</pre>
    cin >> upto;
    cout << endl;</pre>
```

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fibObj.displayFib(upto);
cout << endl;
return 0;
}</pre>
```

Output:

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PS D:\sem 4\cpp\oops> cd "d:\sem 4\cpp\oops\"; if ($?) { g++ fibonacciCopyConstructor.cpp -o fibonacciCopyConstructor }; if ($?) { .\fibonacciCopyConstructor }

Enter the number uptill you want Fibobnacci to be listed: 10

1 2 3 5 8 13 21 34 55 89 144
```

```
PS D:\sem 4\cpp\oops> .\fibonacciCopyConstructor
Enter the number uptill you want Fibobnacci to be listed: 15

1 2 3 5 8 13 21 34 55 89 144 233 377 610 987 1597
```

```
PS D:\sem 4\cpp\oops> .\fibonacciCopyConstructor
Enter the number uptill you want Fibobnacci to be listed: 5

1 2 3 5 8 13
```

Viva Questions

Q1) Can a copy constructor accept an object of the same class as a parameter, in place of reference of the object? If No, why not possible?

Ans.

No. It is specified in the definition of the copy constructor itself. It should generate an error if a programmer specifies a copy constructor with a first argument that is an object and not a reference.

Q2) Are Constructors and destructors can declare as const?

Ans.

Constructors and destructors can't be declared as const or volatile. They can, however, be invoked on const or volatile objects.

Q3) Can we make a copy constructor private?

Ans.

Yes, a copy constructor can be made private. When we make a copy constructor private in a class, objects of that class become non-copyable. This is particularly useful when our class has pointers or dynamically allocated resources.

Q4) Can you explain the order of execution in the constructor initialization list?

Ans.

When a class object is created using constructors, the execution order of constructors is:

- Constructors of Virtual base classes are executed, in the order that they appear in the base list.
- Constructors of nonvirtual base classes are executed, in the declaration order.
- Constructors of class members are executed in the declaration order (regardless of their order in the initialization list).
- The body of the constructor is executed.